



HIV AMONG HISPANIC PEOPLE IN MARYLAND, 2021

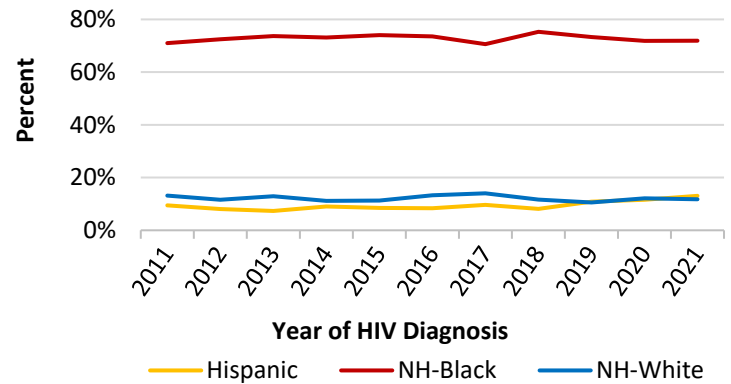
DATA REPORTED THROUGH JUNE 30, 2022

New HIV Diagnoses in Maryland

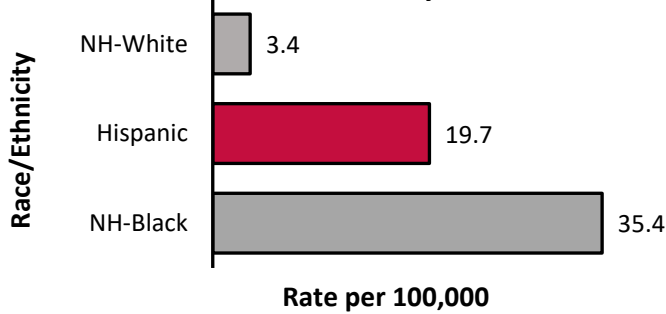
In 2021, there were 101 reported HIV diagnoses among Hispanic people.

- In 2021, Hispanic people accounted for 13.1% of the 773 reported HIV diagnoses.
- It is estimated that an additional 14.9% of Hispanic people living with HIV in Maryland remain undiagnosed, as of 2020.

Trends in HIV Diagnoses by Race/Ethnicity



2021 HIV Diagnosis Rates by Race/Ethnicity

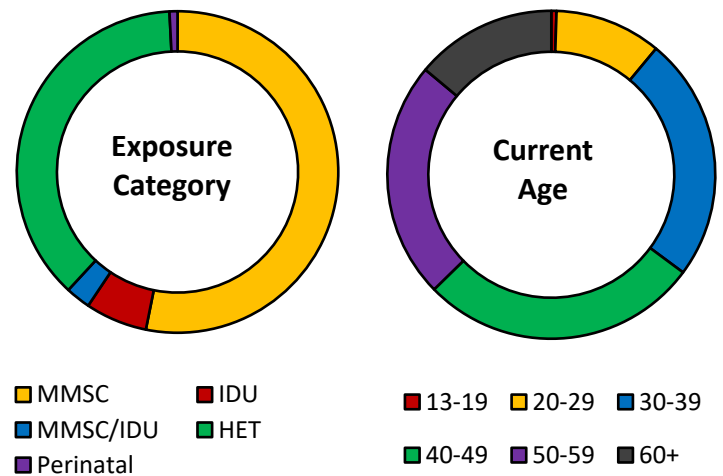


- Diagnosis rates among newly reported HIV diagnoses in Maryland during 2021 were higher among NH-Black people (35.4 per 100,000), as compared to Hispanic people (19.7).

Characteristics of Hispanic People Living with HIV

At the end of 2021, there were 2,347 Hispanic people living with diagnosed HIV.

- Of the 32,149 people living with diagnosed HIV, 7.3% were among Hispanic people. 1 in 219 Hispanic persons in Maryland were reported to be living with diagnosed HIV.
- Rates (per 100,000) among people living with diagnosed HIV were three times higher among Hispanic males (686.1 per 100,000) as compared to Hispanic females (212.3).
- Of the 2,347 Hispanic persons living with diagnosed HIV, 71.0% had a viral load test result reported in 2021. Of those with a reported test result, 91.1% had a suppressed viral load.



NH: Non-Hispanic | **HET:** Heterosexual Contact | **IDU:** Injection Drug Use | **MMSC:** Male-to-male Sexual Contact

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Multiple imputation was used to estimate and adjust for missing exposure category. Data represents adults and adolescents (ages 13+) only.
Data source: Maryland Enhanced HIV/AIDS Reporting System (eHARS).
Data for 2020 and 2021 should be interpreted with caution due to the impact of the COVID-19 pandemic on access to HIV testing and care-related services.